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FISCAL IMPACT STATEMENT

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BILL NUMBER: HB 1336

DATE PREPARED: Nov 16, 2001

BILL AMENDED:

SUBJECT: Presumptive joint parenting.

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FUNDS AFFECTED: **GENERAL**
 DEDICATED
 FEDERAL

IMPACT: No Fiscal Impact

Summary of Legislation: Establishes a rebuttable presumption that joint parenting is in the best interest of a child. Requires a court to consider the ability of the joint parents to communicate and advance the child's welfare if the presumption of joint parenting is challenged. Repeals provision containing language that is relocated within the Indiana Code.

Effective Date: July 1, 2002.

Explanation of State Expenditures:

Explanation of State Revenues:

Explanation of Local Expenditures:

Explanation of Local Revenues:

State Agencies Affected:

Local Agencies Affected:

Information Sources: